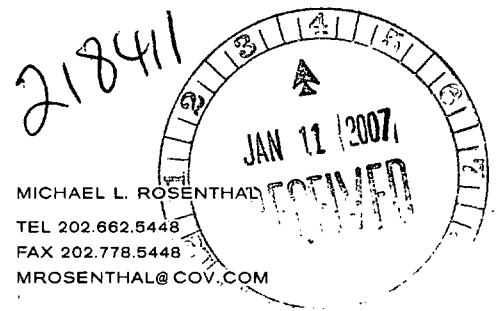


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January 11, 2007

The Honorable Vernon A. Williams
Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20423-0001

Re: STB Ex Parte No. 646 (Sub-No. 1) – Simplified Standards
For Rail Rate Cases

Dear Secretary Williams:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned matter, please find an original and ten copies of Union Pacific Railroad Company's notice of intent to participate in the public hearing scheduled for January 31, 2007.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael L. Rosenthal".

Michael L. Rosenthal

Enclosures

BEFORE THE
SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD



STB Ex Parte No. 646 (Sub-No. 1)


SIMPLIFIED STANDARDS FOR RAIL RATE CASES

**UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY'S
NOTICE OF INTENT TO PARTICIPATE**

Pursuant to the Surface Transportation Board's Decision served December 19, 2006, in the above-captioned matter, Union Pacific Railroad Company hereby files its written notice of intent to participate in the public hearing scheduled for January 31, 2007. Union Pacific respectfully requests an allotment of 10 minutes for its proposed speaker, Louise A. Rinn, Associate General Counsel.

Respectfully submitted,

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